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DIPHTHERIA.**RECORDED PREVALENCE BY STATES, 1916.**

The table which follows shows the recorded prevalence of diphtheria in the several States during the calendar year 1916. The data were furnished by the health departments of the several States.

Diphtheria Reported During the Calendar Year 1916.

State.	Cases re-ported.	Deaths regis-tered.	Indicated case rate per 1,000 inhabit-ants.	Indicated death rate per 1,000 inhabit-ants.	Indicated fatality rate per 100 cases.	Esti-mated popu-lation July 1, 1916.
Alabama.....	752	188	0.322	0.081	25.00	2,332,608
Arizona.....	39		.153			255,544
California.....	3,091	290	1.052	.099	9.38	2,938,654
Colorado.....	372		.387			962,060
Connecticut.....	1,870	187	1.503	.150	10.00	1,244,479
District of Columbia.....	647	33	1.778	.091	5.10	363,980
Hawaii.....	154	35	.714	.162	22.73	215,741
Indiana.....	3,190	384	1.132	.136	12.04	2,816,817
Iowa.....	476	96	.214	.043	20.17	2,220,321
Kansas.....	1,647	195	.900	.107	11.84	1,829,545
Kentucky.....	3,852	384	1.619	.161	9.97	2,379,639
Louisiana.....	1,049	52	.573	.028	4.96	1,829,130
Maine.....	455		.589			772,489
Maryland.....	1,884	166	1.382	.122	8.81	1,362,807
Massachusetts.....	7,282	557	1.958	.150	7.65	3,719,156
Michigan.....	5,520	486	1.807	.159	8.81	3,054,854
Minnesota.....	2,345	170	1.029	.075	7.25	2,279,603
Mississippi.....	1,096	141	.562	.072	12.86	1,951,674
Montana.....	226	33	.492	.072	14.60	459,494
New Jersey.....	5,580	444	1.893	.151	7.96	2,948,017
New York.....	19,133	1,518	1.862	.148	7.93	10,273,375
Ohio.....	7,686		1.492			5,150,356
Oregon.....	190	14	.227	.017	7.37	835,471
Pennsylvania.....	14,191		1.665			8,522,017
Rhode Island.....	1,073	125	1.747	.203	11.65	614,315
South Carolina.....	1,164	79	.716	.049	6.79	1,625,475
Texas.....	1,379	306	.311	.069	22.19	4,429,566
Vermont.....	446	23	1.226	.063	5.16	363,099
Virginia.....	2,906	244	1.326	.111	8.40	2,192,019
Washington.....	389	35	.254	.023	9.00	1,534,221
West Virginia.....	1,178		.850			1,386,038
Wisconsin.....	1,981	213	.792	.085	10.75	2,500,350
Wyoming.....	30	5	.167	.028	16.67	179,559

BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS.**ESTABLISHMENTS LICENSED FOR THE PROPAGATION AND SALE OF VIRUSES, SERUMS, TOXINS, AND ANALOGOUS PRODUCTS.**

The following table contains a list of the establishments holding licenses issued by the Treasury Department in accordance with the act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, entitled "An act to regulate the sale of viruses, serums, toxins, and analogous products in the District of Columbia, to regulate interstate traffic in said articles, and for other purposes."

The licenses granted to the following establishments for the products mentioned do not imply an indorsement of the claims made by the manufacturers for their respective preparations. The granting of a

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